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Heir to Throne of Ottoman Empire Could Not Bear Continued Ill Health and Severed His Arteries Letting His Life Ebb Away—Big Developments are Expected in the Balkans—February 15th is the Date Set for Combined German, Bulgarian and Turk Attack on Allies at Salonika—What to Do With the Appam is A Red Hot Question—More Lusitania Instructions Coming From Germany—Reported Greece and Rumania Sign Agreement.

[By Associated Press.]  
London, Feb. 2.—The suicide of Yussif Izzedin, heir apparent to the Turkish throne, was reported in a Constantinople Reuter dispatch. It said he ended his life yesterday by cutting the arteries of his arms. Ill health was given as the cause of the rash act.

#### BIG DEVELOPMENT SOON.

[By Associated Press.]  
London, Feb. 2.—Indications of possible notable developments in the Balkans were contained in today's news. A dispatch from Athens declares the Germans and Bulgarians, with a force of 150,000 Turks, would likely begin the Saloniki attack on Feb. 15. The British have been prevented from advancing in the Mesopotamian region on account of floods.

#### The Appam a Puzzle.

[By Associated Press.]  
Washington, Feb. 2.—State department officials say if the Appam be held as a prize the Prussian treaty of 1828 will govern the case, meaning the boat will be turned over to the German captors. Some Germans say the boat might be towed to the three-mile limit and sunk for fear of it falling into British hands. Sir Spring

Rice, British ambassador, formally asks Secretary of State Lansing for the release of the Appam.

#### Appam Had Rich Cargo.

[By Associated Press.]  
London, Feb. 2.—It is understood here the Appam carried a half million pounds sterling in silver bullion, which probably will be claimed as a prize, as the bullion was contraband.

#### More Lusitania Instructions.

[By Associated Press.]  
Berlin, Feb. 2.—The German government has sent further instructions to Ambassador Bernstorff of such a nature as to give a "reasonable hope for positive understanding" concerning the Lusitania affair, it was announced today.

#### May Hear Tomorrow.

[By Associated Press.]  
Washington, Feb. 2.—The German embassy said today if instructions on the Lusitania were cabled from Berlin yesterday it was unexpected that they reach here before tomorrow.

#### Greece and Roumania Agree.

[By Associated Press.]  
London, Feb. 2.—The several Bucharest newspapers declare Greece and Roumania will sign a dual neutrality convention.

### CLEANING UP TWO TREATY TROUBLES

The Senate Working to Clean Up the Old Treaty Troubles With Columbia and Panama.

[By Associated Press.]  
Washington, Feb. 2.—Senate relations committee reported favorably the long pending Columbian treaty, reducing the proposed payment to Columbia from \$25,000,000 to \$15,000,000, and altering the proposed apology of the United States for the partition of Panama. Senator Clarke of Montana was the only Democrat voting against it. The committee also reported favorably the treaty to pay Nicaragua \$3,000,000 for the canal route and naval bases in Fonseca Bay.

### PRESIDENT WILSON JOINED IN PARADE

He and Mrs. Wilson Rode in Parade in Auto—Guests of Governor Capper of Kansas.

[By Associated Press.]  
Topeka, Kan., Feb. 2.—For the first time on the present tour, President Wilson participated in a long parade today, riding in an auto with Mrs. Wilson through the streets for forty-five minutes. The Wilsons were guests of Governor Capper.

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### SUBMARINE IN AMERICAN WATERS

British Officials Suspected That German Submersible Crossed Over With the Appam.

[By Associated Press.]  
New York, Feb. 2.—The British consul general yesterday notified British shipping to watch out for German submarines in American waters. Information received at the consulate from private sources lead them to believe that a submarine had accompanied the captured steamer Appam on her voyage across the Atlantic.

While the consular officials would not say that a submarine had been sighted, they considered the information of sufficient importance to justify them in issuing the warning and advising ship masters to keep a sharp lookout from the time they left this port.

Three British ships left port Tuesday and tomorrow three passenger and several freight ships of allied registry are due to leave for Trans-Atlantic or West Indian ports.

#### IN INTEREST OF FARMERS.

Paul Wipprecht of the department of agriculture at Austin, and who is for the present working in connection with the Texas Industrial Congress, is in the city, the guest of his mother and sister and his brother, Mr. W. Wipprecht and family. He is endeavoring to work up an interest among the farmers in the \$10,000 prize offered to farmers by the Industrial Congress and states that he is meeting with encouraging success. The full particulars of the plan in all details will appear in the Eagle tomorrow.

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### WOMEN TO FIGHT IMMODEST DRESS

Declare Indecent Clothes Should Be Censored, Just as Dancing is, at Ball.

[By Associated Press.]

New York, Feb. 2.—Extreme fashions in women's dress will be one of the most important topics to be considered at the general federation of women's clubs of America, to be held here next May according to Mrs. William Grant Brown, chairman of the local board of the federation.

"Ten thousand delegates will take back to their homes a concrete idea of dress reform that will be a blessing to the whole country," Mrs. Brown said today. "We believe in the décollete gown so far as it is a work of art, but it should be modest and never sensational. There has grown up a custom of dress for women, especially young girls, that is simply frightful. The extreme split skirt that shocked us once has given place to the extreme split waist. Evening gowns worn nowadays by women who probably mean well but are foolish, are utterly disgusting, being cut in some cases nearly to the waist. These women do not do this to attract attention, but because they are possessed by the idea that to be partly draped is fashionable."

"Most club women want to establish a general rule against indecent extremes in evening dress and a custom of making women's gowns conform to the following four rules: First, individually, every woman trying to express her own ideas; second, modesty, not puritanism, but a decent regard for what is proper; third, good taste, a degree of art in the expression of individualism; fourth, appropriateness, young girls should not be dressed like matrons, old women should not be dressed like girls."

"Many women suggest that if the present custom of sensational dressing continues, an established ball room censorship should prohibit women so gowned from appearing on the floor, exactly as indecent dancing is forbidden."

### THE FATE OF MANY CONVICTS UNKNOWN

No Word From 800 at Cummins State Farm, Where Great Flood is at its Worst.

[By Associated Press.]

Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 2.—No information was received today on the fate of the 800 negro convicts at the Cummins penal farm, where the Arkansas flood is at its height, and where the river is cutting to pieces the huge levees in front of the convict farms. A second effort to rescue the men will be made today. Half the number are on the levees and the other half are in the back camps.

Several hundred are marooned near Douglas and will be without food unless aid is sent soon. Houses are inundated in other flooded towns.

Hundreds are marooned in Newport, where the water is from two to fifteen feet deep, but long distance advice says they have provisions.

Train service to Pine Bluff on the Iron Mountain was suspended last night.

### PRESIDENT WILSON A BUSY MAN

Delivers Two Speeches Today—The First at Topeka and Second at Kansas City.

[By Associated Press.]  
Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 2.—President Wilson arrived here this morning en route to Topeka, where he spoke this afternoon and then back to Kansas City for the second address of the day tonight. The crowds present to see him on his arrival this morning were disappointed, for the president was asleep.

#### CAMPBELL TO WELCOME FIGHT.

Announced That He is Planning a Vigorous Campaign.

[By Associated Press.]  
Palestine, Tex., Feb. 2.—That former Governor T. M. Campbell will welcome any fight made on his official record as governor of Texas, during the campaign for the United States senate, has been made plain by him, and he will help carry this fight before the people of the state. He is planning to make a vigorous campaign, and A. M. Barton, who managed the governors campaign when he was elected to his first office, is here and will assist Mr. Campbell again. He says he is well pleased with the profers of support from nearly every city and county in the state, and soon a large number of Campbell clubs will be organized, according to information being received by him. He is highly gratified at the large number of union labor men who are pledging him their support.

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### IS STEAMER APPAM PRIZE OF WAR?

So Claimed by German Commander and Will Be Decided by United States.

[By Associated Press.]

Old Point Comfort, Va., Feb. 2.—The British liner Appam is riding at anchor in Hampton Roads today awaiting disposition by the United States government of the claim of the German naval reserve officer in command that she is a prize of war.

Prince Von Hatzfeldt, the personal representative of Ambassador Bernstorff, arrived this morning to make a personal investigation into the Appam. The prince said he believed under the 1755 treaty with Prussia, the Appam would be declared a prize ship. He said the passengers would be liberated shortly.

### RIVER TOW BOAT BOILERS EXPLODED

It is Believed a Number Perished in Explosion—Debris Fell on Both Sides of the River.

[By Associated Press.]

Huntington, W. Va., Feb. 2.—A number, it is believed, perished when the boilers of the "Sam Brown," a tow boat, exploded in the Ohio River today. Debris from the explosion landed on both sides of the river and the boat sank immediately.

### CRIPPLED VESSELS ARE STILL AFLOAT

Japanese Steamer and Another Vessel Collided, but Neither Was Sunk.

[By Associated Press.]

Halifax, Feb. 2.—The Japanese steamer Takala and the steamer Silver Shell, reported to have been in a collision off Cape Race last night, were afloat early this morning, according to a wireless.

The state board of health of New Jersey has forbidden kissing. The board should confine its attention to mosquitoes.—Florida Times-Union.

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